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Caslee St. Holborn June 25. 1855.

My dear Sir,

I embrace the opportunity of the departure of my friend Elsie van Hoorn to acknowledge your letter of the 1st of February and your package, her the packet containing four numbers of the Monographs of Mammalia. It is not my intention to answer your letter, but only to offer you my thanks. I have some apology to make for the delay, and I hope you will accept it when I offer it. Some weeks ago the first No. of Annuaire de l'Association has been published, of which I will have the pleasure to send you a copy. I have also to send you the IV No of the Zoological Journal, in which I have described and figured the Felis m.

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crochets from a living specimen brought
 to England by Sir Stamford Raffles.
 I hope you will give me credit for
 adopting your name though you
 censure me severely in some points
 in a very feeling manner. But then
 I will mention in my next. I say
 nothing of business in the present.
 My only object is to let you know
 that although I have delayed I
 have not forgotten your letter
 which I really hope will be favor-
 able to me in future. I am con-
 sidering your remarks on the Mollusci-
 form Bats, and will reply to them
 soon. While I take an interest in
 the important acquisitions which you
 have received from various parts

of the globe. Whosoever You may say
 of me in public I hope You will con-
 tinue my friend in private, and
 the chief object of this letter is to
 recommend myself to Your remem-
 brance, and so assure You, that
 I remain,

Yours Sir

Yours most faithfully

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